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Applicants: Vargas, Jaime S.; et. al.

Assignee: Cardica, Inc.

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In compliance with the Applicant's duty under 37 CFR § 1.56, the information listed on the accompanying form PTO-1449 is brought to the attention of the Examiner. In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.98 (d) and MPEP 609(I)(A)(2), copies of the references listed on the form PTO-1449 and explanations of relevance of any non-English-language references are not included, because these references have been submitted in the parent application, U.S. Patent Application serial no. 10/054,745, of which this application is a continuation-in-part under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

This IDS is believed to be timely in that it is being submitted under 37 CFR § 1.97(b), and thus no petition or fee is required.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) This Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Information Disclosure Statement;
- (3) PTO Form 1449; and
- (4) Return postcard.

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